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SUBJECT: STATUS OF POLITICAL PRISONERS

1. THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE 25 POLITICAL PRISONERS KNOWN
TO BE HELD BY THE PARAGUAYAN GOVERNMENT AS OF AUGUST 4, 1978.
THERE ARE EIGHTEEN IN EMBOSCADA PRISON AND SEVEN IN OTHER DETENTION:

2. EMBOSCADA PRISON: 18
ALEGRE PORTILLO, ALBERTO
BALBUENA, JUAN MARCELO
BOGADO TABAGMAN, EDUARDO
BRANAS GADEA, CARLOS GUILLERMO
BRITEZ, GUMERCINDO (MOVED TO EMBOSCADA JULY 18 AFTER BEING HELD IN
INVESTIGATIONS SINCE JANUARY 1978).
FLEITAS RIOS, SIXTO
FRANCO, SOTERO
IBARRA DE LA CRUZ, REGINO
OJEDA FELKAN, JOSE GIL
OSORIO PEREZ, EPIFANIO
PORTILLO SERVIN, TAURIN FRANCISCO
RAMIREZ FERNANDEZ, CELSA
RODRIGUEZ OLEGARIO
ROLON CENTURION, DOMINGO
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ROLON CENTURION, MELCHOR
ROLON CENTURION, SANTIAGO
SANABRIA IREPA, MIGUEL ANGEL
STUMPFS, NERCIO

3. OTHER DENTION: 7
ACOSTA ARANDA, SEVERO - FOURTH PRECINCT

BARREIRO, VIRGILIO - THIRD PRECINCT
BOGADO GONDRA, JUAN FELIX - TACUMBU
OVANDO, ESCOLASTICO GUILLERMO - GUARDIA DE SEGURIDAD (MOVED JULY 18
FROM CENTRAL POLICE JAIL TO THE GUARDIA, A MAXIMUM SECURITY MILITARY
FACILITY.
SALABERRY ARMON, CARLOS JOSE - SEVENTH PRECINCT
SANTUCHO, AMILCAR - THIRD PRECINCT
UDURIZA SOTOMAYO, RODOLFO (UDURIZA MAY HAVE BEEN FREED BUT THIS IS
UNCONFIRMED).

4. EMBASSY IS REMOVING GUNTHER PORTENSCHLAG FROM ITS POLITICAL
PRISONER LIST BECAUSE THE CHURCH COMMITTEE FINDS HE IS BEING HELD ON
CRIMINAL RATHER THAN POLITICAL CHARGES. LIST ALSO DOES NOT INCLUDE
RECENTLY ARRESTED OPPOSITION LEADER DOMINGO LAINO WHO BRINGS TOTAL
TO 26.
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